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**HOUSE PASSES BILL TO
SUBMIT INCOME TAX.**
Proposed Corporation Tax Reduced to
One Per Cent at Conference
With President Taft

WASHINGTON, July 12.—By the decisive vote of 317 to 14, the House today passed the Senate joint resolution providing for the submission of an income tax constitutional amendment to the states. The negative votes were all cast by Republicans. The resolution now goes to the president for his signature.

The debate lasted four hours. Chairman Payne, of the committee on ways and means, voiced the sentiment that such a tax would make a "nation of liars." The burden of the Democratic speeches was that it was simply a case of stealing democratic thunder, although some of the remarks on that side incidentally touched upon tariff and the corporation tax with no little amount of castigation of the Republicans for failing to keep party pledges.

"We welcome the conversion of the republican party to another democratic principle," was the comment of Clark, of Missouri, the minority leader, who got rousing applause from his side of the chamber for his utterance. An income tax, he maintained, was a democratic principle. "One by one the roses fall," he said, addressing the republican side, "and one by one you adopt our platform."

James, of Kentucky, quoted from an ante-election speech, in which Mr. Taft favored a graduated income tax and expressed the view that perhaps a change in the personnel of the United States Supreme Court might effect a reversal of its former opinion holding the income tax unconstitutional.

Takes Taft to Task.
"You denounced Bryan for that," he exclaimed, facing the republican side. "You said he was assailing the honor and integrity of the Supreme Court, yet the man you elevated to the loftiest station in the nation virtually repeated the very same words that for twelve years the democratic party in every platform had uttered."

In a fiery speech in support of an income tax, Robinson of Arkansas arraigned the republicans for, as he charged, "fooling the people" before the last presidential election. He defended William Jennings Bryan, declaring that he stood head and shoulders above any other man in private life.

Corporation Tax One-Half.
At a conference at the White House today it was decided that the rate of the new corporation tax shall be reduced from 2 per cent to 1 per cent and that in redrafting the measure now in conference as a provision of the tariff bill, consideration shall be given the demand of the mutual life insurance companies.

On one hand we have married and partial statements upon the other equally garbled and partial statements, and no means of distinguishing the truth. We are under the necessity of proceeding by guess work, by conjecture, always with dissatisfaction because we recognize the chance that we may have guessed wrong about whose statements come nearest to the truth. I should like to see in the office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue, the next time a tariff bill comes before Congress, statements, under oath, and tested year by year, about the business of all this vast multitude of corporations that come appealing to us for help, so that we shall not again be compelled to come to the conclusion that all the business of the United States is on the brink of failure.

Never before was there a franker statement of the methods by which tariff bills are framed than that made by the senator from New York. Senators and Representatives, a large majority of whom are lawyers, have accepted almost without question the ex parte statements of interested persons and companies and have fixed tariff rates in accordance with their representations and demands. The current tariff revision is by no means the revision downward implied by the Republican platform and specifically promised by the Republican presidential candidate. But present indications all point to the inclusion in the tariff bill of certain provisions which will preclude in the future the hit or miss methods of the past and render it impossible for senators and representatives extravagantly to swell the profits of their manufacturing constituents at the expense of the consumer without detection.

**PASSED BAD MONEY AT
MARSHFIELD; ARRESTED**
PORTLAND, Or., July 12.—Floyd W. Avery was arrested here Sunday night on a charge of passing a counterfeit \$10 gold piece. At first Avery manifested considerable surprise, but later confessed to have given several coins to Fred L. Wilson, of Marshfield, to circulate. Assistant United States Attorney J. R. Wyatt thereupon filed a complaint against him with United States Commissioner Marsh, who held Avery in \$2000 bail to appear July 22 for a hearing.

MARSHFIELD, Or., July 11.
Avery had been working in this city as foreman of grading work. It was suspected that Avery had in his possession nearly \$1000 in counterfeit gold money, which he was expected to have put in circulation here on the Fourth of July. A few of the spurious coins were found in the city. It is thought that the counterfeit money was brought here for distribution from another state.

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**ANENT BLIND MAN WHO
STANDS ON SIDEWALKS**
Eugene Guard: Indications point that a combined association of beggars has worked Eugene this spring as the town has never been worked before. The circumstances that have caused this condition are the Seattle fair and the prosperity of Oregon that has drawn the best beggars of the country to the Northwest.

How many dimes did you give to the blind man that stood for a week at the corner of Eighth and Willamette streets? How many nickels to the half dozen incurable cripples that have sat along the streets and sold pencils, shoe strings, or asked for outright gifts? Nearly a dozen beggars have been in Eugene since February, each staying a week or ten days.

Beggars are a business just like whining shoes or running a bank. The last professional to be here, the one who stood at the corner each day, had an attendant who took him to the corner, where he stood for six or eight hours. The attendant was well dressed, and so far as discovered did nothing but manage the blind man. They both took the train together.

While there is really no association of beggars in a formal way, in cities there are gangs that pre-empt certain districts and drive all but members of their own gang away. From the regularity that beggars appear in Eugene some such method seems to exist in the goings and comings of beggars here.

Christmas time is the period when the beggar waxeth wealthy, though some are said by the authorities to average \$5 a day the year around. Then it is that the people think of others, and frequently give gold to the man on the street where they usually grudgingly bestow nickels.

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**YOUNG FUGITIVE FROM
IDAHO IN COUNTY JAIL.**
Advised by Father to Avoid Prison
Stripes by Marrying Girl
Preferring Charge.

Charged with a statutory offense, Floyd Harris, aged 19 years, is in the county jail in Roseburg awaiting the arrival of an officer from Boise, Idaho, to take him back to that city, from which place he fled last December. Harris was brought to this city Monday evening by Sheriff Panton following his arrest by Deputy Sheriff Beckley of Oakland. Harris was working at the time with a bridge crew, three miles east of that town. Nearby is situated the home of his parents, who moved to this county from Idaho a few months before the arrival of their son.

Harris will not resist extradition. He is loath to admit the truth of the charge against him, but his father appears anything but doubtful of his guilt. Before Sheriff Panton left for Roseburg with his prisoner, the elder Harris said to his son:

"That girl was after you and nobody else. She is just as good as you, and I want you to do the square thing by her by marrying her."

Young Harris displays no intention of ignoring his father's request.

**PETITION BENSON TO
SEND ANOTHER JUDGE.**
Hanna Refuses to Postpone Vacation
Even Though Medford Might
Suffer Heavy Loss.

Medford Tribune: City Attorney Porter J. Neff and Mayor W. H. Canon are in Salem today with a petition to Governor Benson asking that he send a circuit court judge to this district to hold a special term of court in order that the condemnation proceedings brought by the City of Medford against M. F. Hanley for a right of way across the Hanley place on Little Butte creek for the gravity water system, might be heard and the amount of damages assessed.

This step was decided upon after Circuit Judge H. K. Hanna refused to hold a special session of court during the time he was taking his summer vacation. Should the governor fail to grant the petition and exercise the power vested in him by law to send such a judge to this district it means that the city of Medford will be delayed indefinitely in getting a supply of pure water into the city which will shut Medford out of revenue from a water system which taxed the city to its utmost to install and for the lack of such a supply of pure water endanger the health of its residents throwing the city open to an epidemic of typhoid fever.

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That said bids will be received up to 4 o'clock on Monday, the 19th day of July, 1909.

Directors of said School District hereby reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
Dated this 12th day of July, 1909.
J. C. FULLERTON,
Chairman.
Clara Dillard,
Clerk.

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**TAFT TAKES A HAND IN
CORPORATION TAX LAW.**

WASHINGTON, July 12.—President Taft and the lawyers of his cabinet have undertaken to save the tariff conference from hanging over the corporation tax amendment. It is conceded that the measure as passed by the senate must be redrafted in order to remove constitutional objections and to meet the views of the administration. The president told the leaders of the senate and house that as the administration will be charged with the responsibility of collecting the tax and defending the act, if assailed in the courts, the administration should be permitted to perfect the measure.

If the corporation tax is changed the alterations will probably be confined to the rate of the tax imposed on net earnings, which may be cut in half. The president was impressed by the arguments of the states that they should not be disturbed in their use of the inheritance tax as a means of raising revenues, although his belief in the principle has not abated. It is stated, however, that he does not think that federal and state governments should both resort to this method for raising revenue.

Later it was given out that the new draft of the corporation tax amendment will provide a tax of one per cent instead of two per cent on the net earnings of corporations. This was decided today at an informal conference at the White House. Attorney-General Wickersham will prepare the amendment accordingly.

Life 100,000 Years Ago.
Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men, who lived 100,000 years ago, when life was in constant danger from wild beasts. Today the danger, as shown by A. W. Brown, of Alexander, Me., is largely from deadly disease. "If it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery, which cured me, I could not have lived," he writes, "suffering as I did from a severe lung trouble and stubborn cough." To cure Sore Throats, Colds, Obsolete Coughs, and prevent Pneumonia, its best medicine on earth. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottle free.

**JUDGE HAMILTON HOLDS
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SALEM, Or., July 12.—The case of Catlin & Linn vs. Jones, an action for \$2900 damages for alleged default in the performance of a hop contract, came to trial for the fourth time in the Marion county Circuit court today. Judge J. W. Hamilton of Roseburg, presiding, at the request of Judge Burnett, in addition to its three previous trials in Circuit Court, the case has been twice before the Supreme court, being remanded each time.

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